



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Hideya TAKEO

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For: PROSPECTIVE ABNORMAL SHADOW DETECTING SYSTEM, AND METHOD OF  
AN APPARATUS FOR JUDGING WHETHER PROSPECTIVE ABNORMAL  
SHADOW IS MALIGNANT OR BENIGNANT

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:


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